January 26, 2001

Diana M. Campbell 7410 Dead Goat Road Clinton Washington 98236

Attorney General John Ashcroft US Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington DC 20530

Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I am writing today to encourage you and the Department of Justice to accept the Microsoft antitrust settlement. Microsoft has given up a lot to be able to settle the issue.

I would like to tell you exactly how I feel about this issue, please think back to articles of history of the United States and the Auto Industry. Mr. Henry Ford certainly was not the first automaker competing with other industrialist of his time. His story is fabulous. One story that really talks about the" American dream." And this is only one story of such struggle to produce a sellable product that has lasting quality. No Mr. Ford was not the only automaker of his time but he produced a good competitive product.

Mr. Gates and his company have been producing a sellable competitive product.

What is the Justice Department trying to tell the American businessperson?

What is this new attack? The United States of America is the home of the free. If we do not have the freedom to create a better "mouse trap", then why are our borders flooded with immigrants? Mr. Gates has not asked to have the status of a King in the United States. He has built a team of people that are of the highest regard working with ideas and values to build competitive soft wear for a very fast growing industry.

Please know Mr. Ashcroft that I am a normal everyday housewife, and I know something about cooking and recipes, some of the ingredients are private, some are family secrets. Are you telling me

that I must tell people what I put in a cake should I want to compete in a contest, for my personal gain. I believe in the American Dream. I grew-up having the ability to choose my way of life, I think you are treading on sacred ground.

Please Mr. Ashcroft do not use any more of your precious time and my money. Please accept the Microsoft antitrust settlement.

Sincerely,

Diana M. Campbell

Wife

Mother of 10, Grandmother of 22

Great grandmother of 6

Real Estate sales associate